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Title: Need to include the historically and culturally rich places in and around Santhal Pragana in the tourist map of the country.

SHRI NISHIKANT DUBEY (GODDA): The problems of Santhal Pargana area of Jharkhand can only be solved through a comprehensive plan of action where special emphasis is laid on development of the basic infrastructure together with the development of culturally known places having good tourist potential on priority basis.

The following 11 places in and around Santhal Pargana and Bihar (Ang Pradesh) within a radius of 100 sq.Km- which have very good potential- be identified as places of cultural touris:-

1- Karangadhi at Bhagalpur
2- Deoghar
3- Basukinath
4- Parasnath
5- Mandar Mountain
6- Vikramshila
7- Champapuri
8- Tarapith
9- Trikut Mountain
10- Sultanganj
11- Bateshwar Sthan

I request to include these 11 important places/locations of Santhal Pargana area under the map of Rural and Cultural tourism.